

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

App. No. : 10/710,337  
Applicant : ARAUJO, Joseph  
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Examiner : PERREIRA, Melissa Jean  
Docket : CCT-P0001  
Customer No. : 36067  
Conf. No. : 4336  
For : METHOD FOR ASSESSING FOOD PALATABILITY AND  
PREFERENCE IN ANIMALS USING A COGNITIVE  
PALATABILITY ASSESSMENT PROTOCOL

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Commissioner for Patents  
EFSWeb

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007, Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for reply to the office action by two months as per 37 CFR 1.136(a). Payment is made herewith via EFSWeb to cover the cost of the extension. Please use deposit account 502689 for any other charges not accounted for herein and please reference our file number CCT-P0001 when using the account.

Respectfully submitted,  
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